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**Re: Complete Packet of Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Decipherments for  
2003 Model Year BMW Motorcycles**

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is in reference to Part 565. Please find enclosed a complete and updated packet of information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the Vehicle Identification Numbers (VINs) of the following 2003 model year U.S. BMW motorcycles:

F650CS 2-wheel motorcycle  
F650GS 2-wheel motorcycle  
F650GS Dakar 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1100S 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1150GS 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1150GS Adventure 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1150R 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1150RS 2-wheel motorcycle

R1150RT 2-wheel motorcycle  
K1200GT 2-wheel motorcycle  
K1200LT 2-wheel motorcycle  
K1200RS 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1200C 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1200CL 2-wheel motorcycle  
R1200C Phoenix 2-wheel motorcycle

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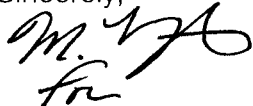
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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for F650CS Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

The diagram illustrates the structure of a Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) with the example: **WB1 0184 A - 3 Z 000000**.

- WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER:** WB1 = BMW AG Motorcycles, Munich, GERMANY Motorcyle
- VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION:**
  - Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel
  - Line: K14
  - Engine type: 1-cylinder gasoline engine, 39.8 cu. in., 4-stroke
  - Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles
- ENGINE POWER:** A = 37 kW (50 BHP)
- CHECK DIGIT:** To be assigned by Manufacturer.
- MODEL YEAR:** 3 = 2003
- PLANT OF MANUFACTURE:** Z = Berlin, GERMANY
- SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER:** To be assigned by Manufacturer.

Date: October, 2002

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW F650GS Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

VIN		WB1	0182	A	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>								
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY								
Make: BMW								
Type: Motorcycle								
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>								
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel								
Line: R13								
Engine type: 1-cylinder gasoline engine, 39.8 cu. in., 4-stroke								
Manufacturer: BMW AG Motocycles								
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>								
A = 37 kW (50 BHP)								
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>								
To be assigned by Manufacturer.								
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>								
3 = 2003								
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>								
Z = Berlin, GERMANY								
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>								
To be assigned by Manufacturer.								

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW F650GS Dakar Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	WB1	0183	A	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R13 Engine type: 1-cylinder gasoline engine, 39.8 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 37 kW (50 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1100S Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

VIN WB1 0432 A - 3 Z 000000

WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER

WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles  
Munich, GERMANY

Make: BMW

Type: Motorcycle

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION

Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel  
Line: R259S  
Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine,  
66.2 cu. in., 4-stroke  
Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles

ENGINE POWER

A = 72 kW (98 BHP)

CHECK DIGIT

To be assigned by Manufacturer.

MODEL YEAR

3 = 2003

PLANT OF MANUFACTURE

Z = Berlin, GERMANY

SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER

To be assigned by Manufacturer.

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1150GS Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	<u>WB1</u>	<u>0495</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Z</u>	<u>000000</u>
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY							
Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R21 Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine, 69 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
B = 62 kW (84 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

Date: October, 2002

0006

## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1150GS Adventure Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	<u>WB1</u>	<u>0492</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Z</u>	<u>000000</u>
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R21 Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine, 69 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
B = 62 kW (84 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1150R Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	WB1	0439	B	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R28 Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine, 69 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
B = 62 kW (84 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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0008

## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1150RS Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	WB1	0498	A	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R22 Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine, 69 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 70 kW (95 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1150RT Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	WB1	0499	A	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R22 Engine type: 2-cylinder gasoline engine, 69 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 70 kW (95 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW K1200GT Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	<u>WB1</u>	<u>0558</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Z</u>	<u>000000</u>
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: K41 Engine type: 4-cylinder gasoline engine, 71.5 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 96 kW (130 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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## Table for BMW K1200LT Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER

Make: BMW

## VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION

## ENGINE POWER

CHECK DIGIT

MODEL YEAR

### PLANT OF MANUFACTURE

SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER

Date: October, 2002

## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW K1200RS Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	<u>WB1</u>	<u>0557</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Z</u>	<u>000000</u>
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: K41 Engine type: 4-cylinder gasoline engine, 71.5 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 96 kW (130 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

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## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1200C Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

VIN	WB1	0434	A	-	3	Z	000000
WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: R259C Engine type: 4-cylinder gasoline engine, 71.4 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
ENGINE POWER							
A = 45 kW (61 BHP)							
CHECK DIGIT							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
MODEL YEAR							
3 = 2003							
PLANT OF MANUFACTURE							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

Date: October, 2002

## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1200CL Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	<u>WB1</u>	<u>0496</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Z</u>	<u>000000</u>
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY Make: BMW Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel Line: K30 Engine type: 4-cylinder gasoline engine, 71.4 cu. in., 4-stroke Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 45 kW (61 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

Date: October, 2002



## Decipherment of BMW Motorcycle VIN's According to Part 565

Table for BMW R1200C Phoenix Motorcycle - Model Year 2003

<u>VIN</u>	WB1	0433	A	-	3	Z	000000
<u>WORLD MANUFACTURER IDENTIFIER</u>							
WB1 = Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles Munich, GERMANY							
Make: BMW							
Type: Motorcycle							
<u>VEHICLE DESCRIPTION SECTION</u>							
Type of motorcycle: Two-wheel							
Line: R259C							
Engine type: 4-cylinder gasoline engine, 71.4 cu. in., 4-stroke							
Manufacturer: BMW AG Motorcycles							
<u>ENGINE POWER</u>							
A = 45 kW (61 BHP)							
<u>CHECK DIGIT</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							
<u>MODEL YEAR</u>							
3 = 2003							
<u>PLANT OF MANUFACTURE</u>							
Z = Berlin, GERMANY							
<u>SEQUENTIAL PRODUCTION NUMBER</u>							
To be assigned by Manufacturer.							

Date: December, 2001

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